



BYRD

Released in 2011, Byrd has been the most widely planted variety in Colorado since 2015. Byrd is among the yield leaders, showing consistent performance under dryland and irrigated conditions. Byrd also has good test weight, excellent drought tolerance and superior end-use quality. Byrd is resistant to greenbug, and also contains a gene for wheat curl mite resistance, which provided very effective tolerance to Wheat Streak Mosaic Virus in 2017.

CHARACTERISTICS

MATURITY	Medium-early
HEIGHT	Medium
YIELD	Very high
DROUGHT TOLERANCE	Excellent
MILLING QUALITY	Very good
BAKING QUALITY	Very good
STRAW STRENGTH	Fair
TEST WEIGHT	Good
PROTEIN	Fair
COLEOPTILE LENGTH	Medium-long
PEDIGREE	TAM 112 / CO970547-7

HARD RED



Management:

- Excellent for drought conditions
- Very good for Wheat Streak situations
- Foliar fungicide advised under higher moisture conditions
- Use growth regulator in yield environments > 80 bushels

PEST & DISEASE PROFILE

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
STRIPE RUST										
LEAF RUST										
WHEAT STREAK MOSAIC										

Rating Scale:
 Excellent (1-2) Very Good (3-4)
 Good (5-6) Fair (7-8) Poor (9-10)

